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August 13, 2002

Ref: 1436-21503

Honorable James Welsh  
Commissioner of Conservation  
Post Office Box 94275  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-4275

Re: Hearing Application  
5500' Zone, Reservoir A, SUA  
NORTH CHALKLEY FIELD  
Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana  
Applicant: Mission Resources Corporation

Dear Mr. Commissioner:

In accordance with the Rules of Procedure for Conducting Hearings Before the Commissioner of Conservation of the State of Louisiana, application is hereby made on behalf of **Mission Resources Corporation** for the calling of a public hearing, after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters relating to the 5500' Zone, Reservoir A, North Chalkley Field, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana.

1. To create a single drilling and production unit of approximately 93 acres for the 5500' Zone, Reservoir A, designated as the 5500' RA SUA, North Chalkley Field, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana, all as shown more particularly on the attached plat;
2. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the 5500' RA SUA;
3. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the units so created, with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation;
4. To consider such other matters relating to the subject reservoir as may be appropriate and justified by the evidence presented at the public hearing.

The 5500' Zone, in the North Chalkley Field, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the measured depths of 5,420 feet and 5,564 feet (electrical log

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measurements) in the Mission Resources-Walter Jerold Helms No. 1 Well, located in Section 33, Township 11 South, Range 7 West, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana.

In compliance with the Rules of Procedure for Conducting Hearings Before the Commissioner of Conservation of the State of Louisiana, a pre-application conference was held in Lafayette, Louisiana on May 10, 2002 pursuant to pre-application notice of Edmund F. Helms and Jerry D. Helms, M.D. Attached hereto and made a part hereof is a list of the names and addresses of the parties who were in attendance at that conference.

Mr. Louis Gilbert on behalf of the original applicant presented a geographic plan of 160 acres. Mr. Leon Comeaux on behalf of Mission Resources presented a geologic plan. Mr. Jim Hardwick on behalf of the Stone Family, LLC also presented a geologic plan. The parties agreed to attempt to compromise their differences. This application is a reconciliation of differences between the original applicant and Mission Resources. There still may be opposition at the public hearing on this matter.

Attached hereto and made a part hereof is a plat outlining the 5500' RA SUA, North Chalkley Field, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana, and a list of the names and addresses of the interested owners, represented parties and interested parties to whom this notice is being sent. It is hereby certified that a reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all interested owners, represented parties and interested parties. A pre-hearing conference will be held if requested by any interested party.

A copy of the list of the names and addresses of the interested owners, represented parties and interested parties is not being mailed to those parties along with this application. Should any such party desire a copy of this list, however, we will be glad to provide one upon request.

Any pertinent data relating to the proposed unit can be obtained, AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY, from Mr. Leon Comeaux, Leon Comeaux & Associates, Inc., P. O. Box 53922, Lafayette, La 70505 (337) 233-9839

Finally, there is enclosed herewith our check on behalf of the applicant in the amount of \$700.00, made payable to the Office of Conservation, representing the required hearing application fee.

Very truly yours,



B. J. Duplantis

BJD:ht  
Attachments  
cc: Mr. Richard D. Hudson  
District Manager  
Office of Conservation

All Interested Owners,  
Represented Parties and Interested Parties

R 7 W

Mabel H. Hebert

Lynal  
M. Hebert

12325'

Inexo  
W. Helms

10325'

J.P. Owen  
F. Helms

11798'

5500' RA SUA  
HELMS NO. 1  
± 93 ACRES

Malcolm D. Hebert

Lynal  
M. Hebert

10405'

Edmund F. Helms

Lynal  
D. Richard

10443'

Nancy Berger & Beverly Hinas

Mark  
Pedersen

Quintana  
Sweet Lake Land & Oil

13000'

Sweet Lake Land & Oil

CALCASIEU PARISH  
CAMERON PARISH

British American  
Sweet Lake Land & Oil

9703'

HNG Fossil Fuels  
Sweet Lake Land & Oil

12802'

Sweet Lake Land & Oil  
Phillips  
Sweet Lake Land & Oil

14500'

Coltco  
Sweet Lake Land & Oil

9614'

TSE  
Sweet Lake Land & Oil

10855'

Lynal  
Sweet Lake Land & Oil

10840'

Albert D. Miller  
Sweet Lake Land & Oil

5712'

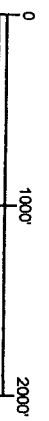
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MISSION RESOURCES

NORTH CHALKLEY FIELD  
CALCASIEU & CAMERON PARISHES, LOUISIANA

PROPOSED UNIT  
5500' ZONE

Geology by: Leon Comeaux



DATE: LEON E. COMEAUX & ASSOC. GEOLOGISTS